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: ADENO-ASSOCIATED VIRUS (AAV) SEROTYPE I

NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCES, VECTORS AND

HOST CELLS CONTAINING SAME

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RESPONSE

Sir:

This response is filed in response to the Office Action dated December 7, 2005. A Petition to Extend the Time for Response for three months from March 7, 2006 to June 7, 2006 is enclosed herewith.

Amendments to the Specification are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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